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NEWS RELEASE

Pedestrian Fatality on Mt Delano

Date: May 20, 2016
Time: 7:48 p.m.
Location: 8900 block of Mt Delano
Vehicle 1: 2007 Ford F150
Driver: 76-year old Francisco Castor
Vehicle 2: 1986 Chevrolet Caprice (parked unoccupied)
Pedestrian: 73-year old Maria Delores Castor (deceased)

EL PASO, TEXAS: Special Traffic Investigators responded to the 8900 block of Mt Delano to assist with the investigation of a traffic collision that resulted in the death of a 73-year old woman. 73-year old Maria Delores Castor was pruning trees in the front of her home and was unable to reach the top branches. Her husband, 76-year old Francisco Castor backed his truck so that she could stand on the bed of the truck to reach the upper branches. As he backed over the curb the truck accelerated and struck Ms. Castor and then an unoccupied parked car. Ms. Castor was transported to University Medical Center where she was pronounced dead.

This is the 29th traffic fatality in the city compared with 22 this time in 2015.

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